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DEATHS DURING WEEK ENDED DEC. 27, 1919.

[From the "Weekly Health Index" Dec. 30, 1919, issued by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.]

Deaths from all causes in certain large cities of the United States during the week ended Dec. 27, 1919, infant mortality (per cent), annual death rates, and comparison with corresponding week of preceding years.

City.	Population July 1, 1918, esti- mated.	Week ended Dec. 27, 1919.		Average annual death rate per 1,000. ¹	Per cent of deaths under 1 year.	
		Total deaths.	Death rate. ¹		Week ended Dec. 27, 1919.	Previous year or years. ²
Albany, N. Y.	112,565	37	17.1	C 17.4	16.2	C 8.1
Atlanta, Ga.	201,732	43	11.1	C 14.1	7.0	C 9.4
Baltimore, Md.	366,981	214	16.7	A 18.8	16.4	A 11.8
Birmingham, Ala.	197,670	36	9.5	A 18.8	19.4	A 11.5
Boston, Mass.	785,245	221	14.7	A 16.5	20.4	A 15.6
Buffalo, N. Y.	473,229	138	15.2	A 21.3	14.5	A 17.3
Cambridge, Mass.	111,432	30	14.0	A 14.2	20.0	A 9.5
Chicago, Ill.	2,696,681	604	12.1	A 14.5	14.6	A 17.5
Cincinnati, Ohio.	418,022	130	16.2	C 15.5	10.0	C 5.7
Cleveland, Ohio.	810,306	168	10.8	C 14.9	18.5	C 24.7
Columbus, Ohio.	225,296	59	13.7	C 12.6	3.4	C 7.5
Dayton, Ohio.	130,655	35	14.0	A 15.8	5.7	A 13.7
Denver, Colo.		82		A 16.4	11.0	
Fall River, Mass.	128,392	32	13.0	C 14.7	28.1	C 30.6
Grand Rapids, Mich.	135,450	32	12.3	C 14.5	9.4	C 13.5
Indianapolis, Ind.	290,389	75	13.5	C 18.4	10.7	C 20.0
Jersey City, N. J.	318,770	74	12.1	C 15.8	17.6	C 17.9
Kansas City, Mo.	313,785	94	15.6	C 14.2	19.1	C 12.0
Los Angeles, Calif.	568,495	153	14.0	A 14.5	7.8	A 6.8
Louisville, Ky.	242,707	54	11.6	C 16.2	9.3	C 13.3
Lowell, Mass.	109,081	21	10.0	A 16.1	19.0	A 21.0
Memphis, Tenn.	154,759	49	16.5	C 22.7	10.2	C 6.1
Milwaukee, Wis.	453,481	92	10.6	A 12.1	21.7	A 20.8
Minneapolis, Minn.	383,442	74	10.1	C 10.9	12.2	C 11.5
Nashville, Tenn.	119,215	40	17.5	C 20.7	12.5	C 6.4
Newark, N. J.	428,684	101	12.3	A 16.1	14.9	
New Haven, Conn.	154,865	30	10.1	C 19.2	6.7	C 21.4
New Orleans, La.	382,273	147	20.0	A 21.8	8.8	A 10.5
New York, N. Y.	5,215,879	1,288	12.9	A 15.7	14.9	A 14.4
Oakland, Calif.	214,206	45	11.0	A 12.7	17.8	A 10.3
Omaha, Nebr.	180,264	45	13.0	C 13.7	20.0	C 18.2
Philadelphia, Pa.	1,761,371	378	11.2	⁴ 22.3	12.7	⁴ 9.7
Pittsburgh, Pa.	593,303	185	16.3	C 22.7	14.6	C 12.5
Portland, Oreg.		61		C 7.3	8.2	C 7.0
Providence, R. I.	263,613	69	13.6	C 16.1	17.4	C 11.3
Richmond, Va.	160,719	51	16.5	C 16.4	15.7	C 12.0
Rochester, N. Y.	264,856	63	12.4	C 12.5	11.1	C 11.3
St. Louis, Mo.	779,951	212	14.2	C 14.3	10.4	C 14.7
St. Paul, Minn.	257,699	52	10.5	C 11.6	11.5	C 12.5
San Francisco, Calif.	478,530	180	19.6	C 14.2	5.0	C 10.9
Seattle, Wash.		75		A 8.4	9.3	A 9.4
Spokane, Wash.		25		C 7.3	28.0	C 18.2
Syracuse, N. Y.	161,404	36	11.6	C 13.5	13.9	C 19.5
Toledo, Ohio.	262,234	53	10.5	A 13.4	9.4	A 16.8
Washington, D. C.	401,681	122	15.8	A 19.3	9.0	A 9.1
Worcester, Mass.	173,650	48	14.4	C 15.9	16.7	C 7.7

¹ Annual rates per 1,000 estimated population.

² "A" indicates data for the corresponding week of the years 1913 to 1917, inclusive. "C" indicates data for the corresponding week of the year 1917.

³ Population estimated as of July 1, 1919.

⁴ Data are based on statistics of 1915, 1916, and 1917.

Summary of information received by telegraph from industrial insurance companies for week ended Dec. 27, 1919.

Policies in force	42,253,353
Number of death claims	6,865
Death claims per 1,000 policies in force, annual rate	8.5